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BERNARD THOMAS,

Plaintiff

-against-

MICHELLE P. STONE, Et. Al,

Defendants.

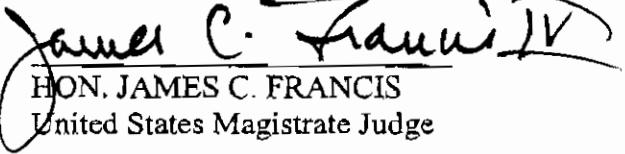
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**ORDER GRANTING LEAVE  
FOR THE TAKING OF THE  
DEPOSITION OF THE  
INCARCERATED PLAINTIFF**

Upon the annexed affirmation of John E. Knudsen, executed on July 11, 2008, and the notice of deposition attached thereto, it is hereby:

**ORDERED**, that, pursuant to Federal Rule of Civil Procedure 30(a), and upon the notice given by defendants to plaintiff, defendants may take the deposition of plaintiff/inmate Bernard Thomas at the prison where he is confined.

Dated: New York, New York  
July 17, 2008

  
HON. JAMES C. FRANCIS

United States Magistrate Judge

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